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SUBJECT: EMBASSY DELIVERY OF TELEGRAMS TO AUSTRALIANS

FOR EA/ANP

1. IN PAST WEEKS, EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED AT LEAST SIX TELEGRAMS FROM USG SENDERS FOR DELIVERY TO AUSTRALIAN RECIPIENTS. DR. VICTOR BLANCO, KITT PEAK NATIONAL OBSERVATORY, 950 NORTH CHERRY AVE., TUSCON, ARIZONA, 85726, HAS SENT THREE CABLES FOR RELAY TO DR. BEN GASCOIGNE, MOUNT STROMLO OBSERVATORY, CANBERRA. BRUCE CHAPPELL, US GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, 345 MIDDLEFIELD RD., MENLO PARK, CALIFORNIA, HAS SENT THREE CABLES FOR RELAY TO ROSS FREEMAN AND WM. COMPETON, GEOLOGY DEPT., AUST. NATIONAL UNIVERSITY, CANBERRA. EMBASSY HAS RELAYED ALL SIX MESSAGES, NONE OF WHICH CAME THROUGH DEPARTMENT.

2. ACTION REQUESTED : EMBASSY ALWAYS WILLING TO RELAY OFFICIAL TELEGRAMS WHERE DELIVERY WOULD OTHERWISE BE UNCERTAIN. HOWEVER, REFERENCED SIX CABLES INVOLVED EMBASSY ONLY AS RELAY POINT AND COULD EASILY HAVE BEEN SENT DIRECTLY TO AUSTRALIAN RECIPIENTS WITH PROMPT DELIVERY ASSURED. EMBASSY REQUESTS DEPT ASK BLANCO AND CHAPPELL TO SEND FUTURE SUCH
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TELEGRAMS DIRECTLY TO AUSTRALIAN RECIPIENTS EXCEPT

WHERE GOOD REASON EXISTS TO FEAR NON-DELIVERY.

OBVIOUSLY WHEN SUCH CABLES INVOLVE SUBSTANTIVE US
GOVERNMENT BUSINESS THEY SHOULD BE DIRECTED THROUGH
DEPARTMENT OF STATE AND EMBASSY WILL NATURALLY BE
PLEASSED TO HANDLE THEM.
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